



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Serial No. : 10/790,931
Applicants : Takemori TAKAYAMA et al.
Filed : March 1, 2004
For : ROLLING ELEMENT AND METHOD
OF PRODUCING THE SAME
Art Unit : 1742
Examiner : Deborah YEE
Docket No. : 04005/HG
Confirm. No.: 3234
Customer No.: 01933

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE
TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

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This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 1, 2005, which is a Restriction Requirement under 35 USC 121. The term for responding to the Office Action ends on October 1, 2005.

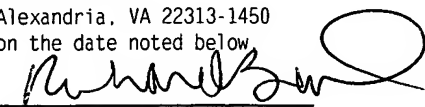
Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

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